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DECISION ON PETITION

UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)

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In re Application of:

CHANG, Eugene, B., et al.

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For: AN ANTI-INFLAMMATORY,

CYTOPROTECTIVE FACTOR :

DERIVABLE FROM A PROBIOTIC

ORGANISM

The petition to revive under 37 CFR 1.137(b) filed 16 August 2006 in the above-captioned application is hereby **GRANTED** as follows:

Applicant's statement that "the entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional" satisfies the requirement of 37 CFR 1.137(b)(3).

Applicant has now submitted the small entity basic national fee, and the requirements of 37 CFR 1.137(b) have been satisfied. Therefore, the request to revive the application is granted as to the United States of America.

This application is being referred to the National Stage Processing Branch of the Office of PCT Operations for further processing in accordance with this decision, including the mailing of a Notification Of Missing Requirements (Form PCT/DO/EO/905) requiring submission of an oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497 and the surcharge for filing the oath or declaration after than thirty months after the priority date.

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